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25X1 1. [ ] Picked up from the Senate Space Committee staff two copies of Senator Clinton Anderson's speech to the Rotary International in Toronto, Canada. One copy of this speech has been forwarded to [ ] in Security.

25X1 2. [ ] Left with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, material which had been forwarded to us by Representative Clarence Cannon's office. This material included in-House notes for CIA budgets for Fiscal Years 1962 and 1963 as well as various work papers of Mr. Cannon's. Mr. Michaels went through this material and is retaining in Subcommittee files all but some unintelligible personal notes of Mr. Cannon's which he gave to us for destruction.

25X1 3. [ ] Left with the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff the following material which they had requested through OSI: "Soviet Microbiological Research Utilizing Radiation and Ultrasonic Techniques," "Soviet Radiation Research in Biology, Soils and Agriculture," and "Soviet Research on the Use of Ionizing Radiation in High-Polymer Chemistry."

25X1 4. [ ] Although it has not been possible yet to confirm 10 o'clock, Wednesday, with Chairman Moss, the final day of the meeting in executive session on Agency use of the polygraph has been scheduled for that time. Final confirmation will have to await the Chairman's availability mid day on Tuesday.

25X1 5. [ ] Met with Mrs. Elizabeth Seeley, Administrative Assistant to Congressman Robert H. Barry (R., N. Y.), concerning her telephone query about Agency scholarships. A constituent advised by letter that an item appearing in a New York paper indicated that contact should be made with your Congressman or with Mr. John McCone, Director, for detailed information on scholarships available for individuals who would enter Agency employment upon completion of studies. I advised Mrs. Seeley that the story is in error and there is no such Agency program.

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25X1 6. [ ] I met again with Congressman Charles E. Bennett with regard to the Drew Pearson column which alleged CIA protection of Havana oil refineries. In essence the discussion centered on the fact that from an Agency point of view rebuttal of some items and failure to take a position on others provides a most difficult area of consideration. It is Mr. Bennett's feeling that he would like to do what he could, particularly in his local area of Florida, to act as a spokesman so far as that might be possible in rebutting erroneous charges. In response to Mr. Bennett's suggestion that possibly this was an item for consideration by the Subcommittee, I advised him that the matter of THE INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT and charges against the Agency would be touched upon by the Director in Thursday's briefing of the Subcommittee.

25X1 7. [ ] Met with Mary King, Secretary to Congressman George M. Rhodes (D., Pa.), and advised her that Miss [ ] has been offered a GS-4 Clerk Typist appointment.

25X1 8. [ ] Met with Mr. Jerry Candela, Legislative Assistant to Congressman James D. Weaver (R., Pa.), concerning his telephone request for the salary of [ ] 25X1 [ ] Mr. Candela was very pleased to learn that information concerning salaries of Agency employees is not available for transmittal to a constituent. This supports the position of the Congressman's office that they do not desire to act as a clearing house for such information.

25X1 9. [ ] Met with Mr. Nicholas Nonnenmacher, Administrative Assistant to Congressman Donald C. Bruce (R., Ind.), and momentarily with the Congressman and briefed them concerning the references in THE INVISIBLE GOVERNMENT to Congressman Pucinski and Radio Free Cuba.

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10. [ ] Met with Mrs. Astrid Gram in the office of Congressman Joe L. Evins (D., Tenn.) concerning the Congressman's inquiry relating to [ ] Mrs. Gram thanked me very much for the information provided and advised that no written response to the Congressman's letter would be necessary.

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